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SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT
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SOCIAL SECURITY TO POOR
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Will the Minister of SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether most of the schemes launched by the Union Government for providing social security to the poor have been discontinued;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the Social Security Group Insurance Scheme has also been discontinued;

(d) if so, the reasons therefor; and

(e) the measures being taken by the Government to ensure that the social security schemes are not discontinued?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SOCIAL JUSTICE AND EMPOWERMENT (SMT. SUBBULAKSHMI JAGADEESAN)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) Social Security Group Insurance Scheme has not been discontinued. However, after introduction of Janashree Bima Yojana, no new scheme can be introduced under Social Security Group Insurance Schemes.

(d) & (e) Do not arise.